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SUBJ: DISARMAMENT: MEXICAN DRAFT RES ON WORLD DISARMAMENT
CONFERENCE (WDC)

REF: STATE 253493

1. PURSUANT TO REFTTEL, DEL CONSULTED WITH CHINESE
NOV 18 ON MEXICAN WDC DRAFT. CHINESE SAID THEY THOUGH
ALL THREE OF OUR PROPOSED CHANGES WOULD IMPROVE THE DRAFT,
AND THEY APPEARED TO AGREE WITH OUR VIEW THAT THE DRAFT
OFFERS A FAVORABLE BASIS FOR UNGA ACTION. THEY HAD ALREADY
ASKED GARCIA ROBLES FOR ADDITION OF LANGUAGE MAKING THE
CONSENSUS PROCEDURE EXPLICIT, WHICH THEY SAID HE HAD
AGREED TO, AND FOR DELETION OF "INCLUDING CONCLUSIONS
AND RECOMMENDATIONS" (ON THIS THEY SAID GARCIA ROBLES HAD
OFFERED SUBSTITUTE WORDING WHICH WAS MUCH LIKE OURS).
THE CHINESE SAID SEVERAL NON-ALIGNED DELS WANTED TO ADD
AFTER PARA 2(B) "WITH A VIEW TO HARMONIZATION OF POSI-
TIONS CONCERNING PREPARATIONS FOR A WDC, " BUT THEY EXPECTED
TO BE INSTRCTED TO TELL GARCIA ROBLES THEY COULD NOT
ACCEPT THIS, AND WERE PLEASED TO HEAR WE WOULD ALMOST CERTAINLY
NOT FIND THIS ACCEPTABLE.

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2. WE THEN PASSED OUR THREE CHANGES TO GARCIA ROBLES.

ON PARA 2(B) , HE COUNTER-SUGGESTED "CURRENTLY INFORMED OF ANY CHANGE IN THEIR RESPECTIVE POSITIONS" AND ON PARA 2 (A) HE ACCEPTED OUR CHANGE EXCEPT FOR "PROVIDED" WHERE HE SUBSTITUTED "RECEIVED". HE HAD NOT COMMENT CONCERNING OUR PARA 1 SUGGESTION.

3. PER BALCKNORBURY TELECON, WE LATER TOLD GARCIA ROBLES HIS PARA 2 (B) AND (A) COUNTER-SUGGESTIONS WERE STATISFACTORY, AND ALSO NOTIFIED CHINESE. GARCIA ROBLES MENTIONED SOVIETS HAD INDICATED THEIR ACCEPTANCE OF DRAFT SUBJECT TO DELETION OF LAST PREAMBULAR PARA. WE SAID SUCH A DELETION WOULD CAUSE US DIFFICULTY, AND GARCIA ROBLES SAID HE WOULD TRY TO GET SOVIETS TO RE-CONSIDER.
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